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1. In 1953, Soyuznefteksport gave an order to VEB Kombinat Otto Groteschke in Boehlen, for the production of 1,000 tons of AT-Benzin, in addition to the amount previously planned for export to the USSR. Later in the year this order was cancelled. Efforts of the enterprise to sell the surplus gasoline through DIA to "capitalist countries" were unsuccessful.
2. Late in 1953, the enterprise sold the surplus stock to DIA, which will try to sell it in 1954.

1/ Comment. A total of 18,000 tons of AT-Benzin were exported to the USSR by the enterprise in 1954.

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